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County recycling program puts new spin on Boxing Days

Boxing Day....have you noticed it on the calendar and wondered what it was?

Boxing Day is a holiday celebrated in the United Kingdom and around the world as a time for traditional gift-giving to tradesmen, postmen, servants and others who serve one's family.

This year, the Vermilion County Recycling Program will put a different slant on Boxing Day.

Starting Dec. 26, and lasting through Jan. 5, corrugated cardboard will be collected in a separate container at all current recycling sites, including the Hoopeston street and alley department barn.

Corrugated cardboard is the sturdy brown variety made of three pieces, two outside flat pieces with a wavy center piece. This cardboard is used primarily for shipping items.

It is not the material used in cereal, shirt or gift boxes. Those are paperboard or chipboard and they are not recyclable in the county program. Those boxes should be thrown in the garbage.

All corrugated cardboard boxes may be flattened and taken to the recycling sites.

Sites beside the Hoopeston location include Main and Washington, Danville; 106 W. Commercial, Catlin; Georgetown Township Garage, Georgetown; and Kickapoo State Park.

For more information, call recycling coordinator Lynn Wolgamot at (217) 431-2662.

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Briefly

Tiny Tots Christmas program

Tiny Tots will hold a Christmas program at 10:30 a.m. Friday at the Hoopeston Public Library, including a very special guest. The party is open to children ages 1-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

The next Tiny Tot program will be at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 9, 1998. For more information, call Carol Arnold, children's librarian, at (217) 283-6711.

Luminaria available

The Grant Township Food Cupboard is selling luminaria to be displayed Christmas eve. A set of six candles and sacks is \$3 and can be purchased Monday through Friday at the Grant Township offices, 525 S. Market, and Saturday at the the Hoopeston municipal building from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.


Food for Fines

The Hoopeston Public Library is helping the Grant Township Food Cupboard by allowing library patrons to pay overdue fines with items needed by the food cupboard.

Items needed include unopened packages of paper towels, toilet tissue, Kleenex or Puffs facial tissues, paper plates and napkins.

The only food items needed at this time are saltine crackers and soups.

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Court Dispositions



Dec. 4: Jason Traylor, Danville, paid \$40 in full.
Penny Warner, Hoopeston, paid \$75 in full.
Linda Watson, Hoopeston, battery; nolle pros.
Robert Wallace, Hoopeston, leash law, nolle pros.
Paul Durlfingler, Rankin, driving after revocation, no insurance, pleaded not guilty; pretrial Jan. 21, 1998, jury trial Sept. 25, 1998.

Michael Emerson, Jayti, Mo., driving after suspension, disobeying stop sign, pleaded not guilty; bench trial Feb. 9, 1998.

Terrence Free, Champaign, driving after suspension, one red tail light; failed to appear.

Ramon Martinez, Hoopeston, DUI, driving while revoked, improper lane usage, too fast for conditions, pleaded not guilty; pre-trial Mar. 9, 1998, jury trial Sept. 25, 1998.

Johnsie C. Nowell, Rossville, DUI, blood alcohol content, reckless driving, disobeying stop sign, pleaded not guilty; pre-trial Mar. 9, 1998, jury trial Sept. 25, 1998.

Jodi Wells, Hoopeston, DUI, driving after suspension, improper lane usage, pleaded not guilty; pre-trial Mar. 9, 1998, jury trial Sept. 25, 1998.

Donald Allison, Alvin, to pay \$95; failed to appear.

Allen Bogard, Rossville, \$95 total, four months court supervision.

Nathan Bruner, Rossville, status check on driver's school; continued.

Adam Carlson, Wellington, speeding, \$95, three months court supervision; uninsured, nolle pros.

Pam Chandler, Hoopeston, uninsured, no valid driver's license; nolle pros.

Rachel Conrad, Cissna Park, speeding; pleaded not guilty.

Paul Durlfingler Jr., Loda, uninsured; failed to appear.

Jason Fairchild, Hoopeston, paid \$95.

Karen Hagele, Milford, uninsured; nolle pros.

Lynn Headershott, Ashkum, speeding; \$95, 12 months court supervision.



Police News



Russ Leigh of Russell Leigh & Associates, reported Sunday that someone kicked in a window at the business, 228 E. Main.

The \$10 drive-off reported Saturday from Casey's General Store, 225 W. Main, was solved Sunday when

the person returned and paid for the gasoline.

Jennifer Mills, 303 N. Market, reported Monday that 20 CDs were taken from her car while it was parked at her home.

A Motorola pager was found Monday in the 300 block of East Main. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

Michelle L. Miller, 20, of 701 W. Washington, was arrested at 11:52 a.m. Monday, charged with criminal damage to property, criminal trespass, criminal damage under \$300, auto burglary and illegal possession of cannabis.

Miller was given a notice to appear on the cannabis charge and was taken to the Public Safety Building, Danville, on the other charges, police said.

Weather



Partly cloudy today and tomorrow. Highs 45, lows 34.

For current weather conditions, call the **Hoopeston Weather Line** at (217) 283-6221.

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

Dec. 11, 1997

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Cathy Mitchell.

Dec. 12, 1997

Admitted: Ella Mayer and Viola Barth, Cissna Park.

Discharged: none.

Dec. 13, 1997

Admitted: Sarah Mollie Garner, Hoopeston.

Discharged: none.

Dec. 14, 1997

Admitted: none.

Discharged: none.

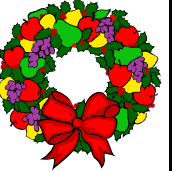
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